



PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Kalyana Chakravarthy et al.  
Application No. : 10/697,958  
Filed : October 30, 2003  
For : METHOD AND APPARATUS TO REDUCE ACCESS TIME IN  
SYNCHRONOUS FIFOS WITH ZERO LATENCY OVERHEAD

Examiner : Aurangzeb Hassan  
Art Unit : 2182  
Docket No. : 852463.405  
Date : May 25, 2006

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Commissioner for Patents  
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## AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated November 30, 2005, please extend the period of time for response three months, to expire on May 30, 2006. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 7 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.